Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 17 Nov 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 18 Nov 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 16 Nov 2021 at 16:01

Confidence: High for breezy but mostly dry weather over the coming days. Lower confidence in the details of low cloud and hill fog and for rainfall on Saturday.

Headline for Wednesday 17 Nov 2021: A bright but breezy day. Feeling cold.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 17 Nov 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Fog
Precipitation probability							
00%	10%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	50%

Forecast for Wednesday 17 Nov 2021

Weather: Dry conditions through most of the day albeit with thick cloud cover well above the hills. A cold westerly wind will ease slightly through the middle of the day. Cloud will descend widely through evening and winds will turn strong once again. Patchy drizzle likely from late evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90% falling 10% through evening.

Visibility: No issues through the bulk of the day with little if any cloud below summit level. Cloud will become extensive above 300m or so after dark.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	33/45 W	32/44 W	30/41 W	30/43 W	26/36 W	25/35 W	28/39 W	29/41 SW	34/48 W
300	13/26 W	13/26 W	13/25 W	13/26 W	14/24 W	13/24 W	13/24 W	14/26 SW	18/32 W
Valley	10/25 W	10/25 W	10/24 W	10/25 W	12/23 W	11/22 W	11/24 W	12/25 SW	15/30 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	3/-4	3/-4	3/-3	3/-3	5/-1	5/-0	5/-0	6/1	8/2
300	5/1	5/1	5/1	5/1	7/4	8/5	8/4	8/5	9/6
Valley	6/3	6/3	6/3	6/3	9/6	9/7	9/6	9/6	10/7
<< Freezing Level*	1000m	1000m	1100m	1100m	1300m	2000m	2300m	2600m	2600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Be aware of lowering cloud across the hills through evening. Chance of gales on highest ground early and late.

Forecast for Thursday 18 Nov 2021

Weather: A return to mild conditions and likely a dull, misty start. Cloud will lift through the day leaving a bright, perhaps briefly sunny afternoon. Dry and windy throughout.

Maximum wind: West 25-30mph gusting 40-45mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 20% improving 90% by midday.

Visibility: Thick cloud above 300-400m at first giving widely very poor visibility on the hills. This will lift above summits through morning with no visibility issues expected through afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 8 Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above summits.

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